Appl. No. 10/003,996

Amendment Dated October 23, 2008

Reply to Office Action of June 23, 2008

Remarks:

Reconsideration of the application is requested. Claims 36-44, 46-47, 49, 57-60, 69-71,

and 73-96 are now in the application. Claims 51-55 and 72 have been canceled. Claims 77-96

are new.

Support for the new claims can be found in the original specification at the following

pages:

Claims 77-80: page 4, line 14;

Claims 81-82: page 4, lines 23-24;

Claims 83-86; page 5, lines 1-3; and

Claims 87-96; page 6, lines 3-18.

The Examiner rejected claims 51-55 as being unpatentable under 35 USC § 103(a).

Claims 51-55 have been canceled. Accordingly, the rejection is now moot.

New claims 77-96 depend on allowed claims. Accordingly, claims 77-96 are patentable

for the same reasons as their underlying claims. In addition, because the claims depend on

allowed base claims their addition should not require further search.

In view of the foregoing, reconsideration and allowance of claims 36-44, 46-47, 49, 57-

60, 69-71, and 73-96 are solicited.

In the event the Examiner should still find any of the claims to be unpatentable, please

telephone counsel so that patentable language can be substituted.

Petition for extension is herewith made. The extension fee for response within a period

of one month pursuant to Section 1.136(a) in the amount of \$65 in accordance with Section 1.17

is enclosed herewith.

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A payment of \$364 is attached to provide for sixteen (16) additional total claims.

No fee is believed due. However, please charge any required fee (or credit any overpayments of fees) to the Deposit Account of the undersigned, Account No. 50-0601 (Docket No. 780-A02-014-8).

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